

Tarlee Primary School

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From the Classrooms

Public Education – moving into the future

On Sunday October 22nd, the Premier and Education Minister launched our new Public Education Action Plan: **Your Child, Their School, Our Future**. This focuses on five key areas:

- * Giving children a head start
- * Educating students for the jobs of tomorrow
- * A focus on literacy and numeracy to put the basics first
- * Help for every student to do their best
- * Supporting our teachers to deliver great results.

Coupled with the DECD Strategic Plan, it will help us prepare young South Australians to reach their potential and have the most options in life and this is our purpose. Our ambition is to become a world-class education and child development system. Plans are focussed and we will be relentless in working to get the best outcomes. There will be different ways of working, with multi-disciplinary teams supporting children's centres, preschools and schools. Individual school improvement plans will make our targets and strategies very clear and how the school is supported in getting there. The scale of effort needed to deliver on the Public Education Action Plan should not be underestimated. Working towards the success of this plan is everyone's business and we will focus our effort. Additional money is being provided because our work is so important and with that, comes great expectations - from families, from community, from each other. It will take our best efforts, every day.

For more information on the Public Education Action Plan: Your Child, Their School, Our Future and the campaign,



Term 4 is already off to a busy start! The Smarties have been on school camp in Adelaide.

We enjoyed a visit to the Adelaide Zoo, swimming in the pool at West Beach Resort, walks on the beach and a tour of the Adelaide Museum (photos later in the newsletter).

We have welcomed some new students which we are very excited about. Welcome to Benji and Ava, Tabitha and Lucas and their families.

The children who will be in Reception in 2018 are having some transition visits, to the point they don't want to go home! The children in Year 2 have had some visits to the Upper Primary class and are feeling very grown up.

Dates to Remember

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| October | |
| 30th Mon | Governing Council Meeting |
| 31st Tues | School Photos |
| November | |
| 10th Fri | Pupil Free Day |
| 14th-17th | Year 7 Canberra Camp |
| December | |
| 1st Fri | School Concert |
| 11th Mon | Governing Council Meeting |
| 15th Fri | Last day of Term 4 Early Dismissal 2:15pm |



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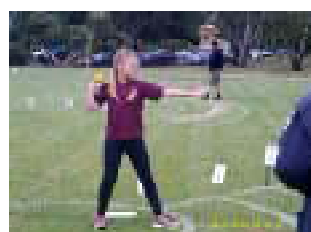
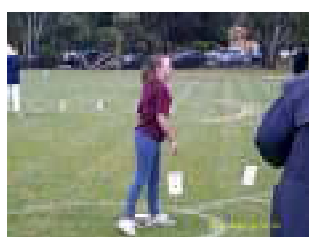
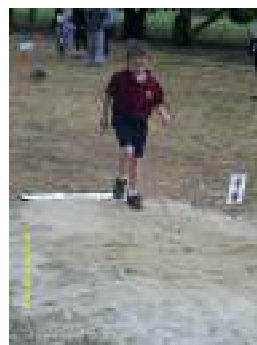
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GILBERT VALLEY SPORTS DAY

On Friday the 20th of October 2017, Tarlee Primary School travelled to Saddleworth Primary School for the annual Sports day. We began by watching the 800m Championship race, where we had Jordan and Michael compete for the school. We then split into our colour groups to participate in the Tabloid events which tested many different skills. For the Junior Primary's, this consisted of Accuracy throw and kick, T-ball hit, long jump and sprints. The Upper Primary's, were involved in shot put, long jump, sprints, discus, and pitch back.

After taking a few breaks and eating the delicious food from the canteen, we regrouped, and paired with Manoora to compete in the team games and relay events. We did quite well in these, returning with some second and third ribbons for our efforts.

Many students had a go at something new, and overall, everyone enjoyed the day.



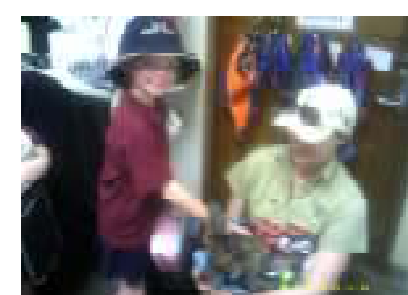
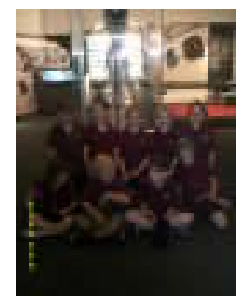
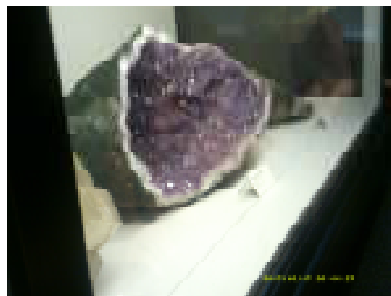
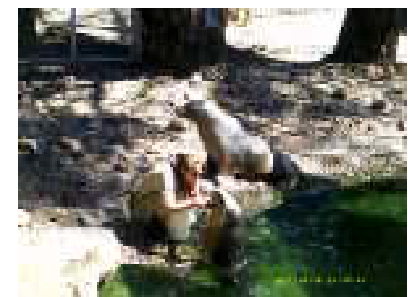
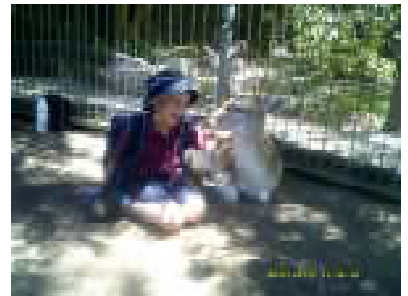
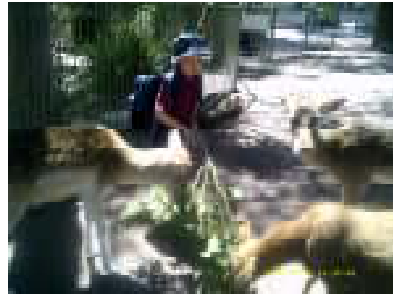
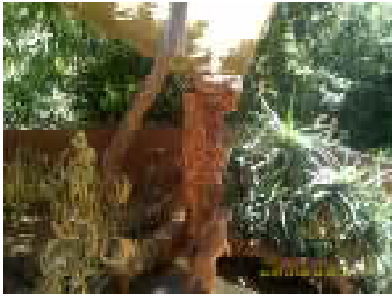
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If you would like to receive our newsletter by email please send in your name and email address into the school. You can request Tarlee Primary School Newsletter either by dropping it into the front office, or sending an email to dl.0430.info@schools.sa.edu.au with 'school newsletter request' in the subject line.

You can also view our newsletter by visiting our school website at http://www.tarleeps.sa.edu.au/news_letters.htm

JUNIOR PRIMARY CAMP





Message from Tracey Pastoral Care Worker



Dear Parents, Care givers and Community Members

Term 4 is off to a flying start. Sports Day at Saddleworth on Friday was a fantastic event. All schools joining together, with so many parent and community supporters encouraging the students to have a go, made for a very exciting day. Congratulations to all of our students who did their very best. A big thank you to our hosts Saddleworth for running this event .

I thank the Tarlee Uniting Church congregation for their continued support funding our breakfast program. Toast is still very popular on Wednesday and Thursday mornings.

A big welcome to our new students, Benji, Ava, Tabitha and Lucas and their parents and families. All are welcome to our Coffee



Morning and Playgroup each Thursday at 9am.

Today our guest speaker was Beverly Dales from Global Care, the topic was based around Gratitude and how living with a mind towards it can assist us to use our brain to overcome many challenges in daily living. Beverly left us with a flyer Ten Keys to Happier Living. I'm putting mine on the fridge! I sincerely thank Beverly for coming and her excellent talk and work in our community.

On Thursday the 9th November, Helen Hennessey from the CFS will be our guest speaker. Please join us for her valuable talk of being bushfire ready.

Have a great fortnight,
with kindest regards, Tracey.



Tarlee Hotel Social Club

Tarlee Hotel Social Club have donated a \$100 Bunnings Voucher for school to use towards their garden upgrades. This is greatly appreciated.

School Photos

School Photos will be held after 12:00 next Tuesday the 31st October.

Order forms were sent home yesterday in your communication folders. These need to be returned on the day or you can drop the in to the front office prior if you prefer.

Please remember to send your child in their best school uniform with neatly done hair. If you would like us to fix hair before photos please send your child's

Tarlee Primary School Playgroup

9:00am – 10:00am

Tarlee Primary School Parent Morning Tea

10:00am – 10:30am

Every Thursday morning during the school term. All wel-

